



Position Announcement – General Counsel

The Multistate Tax Commission announces a search for candidates to fill the position of general counsel. The Commission is an intergovernmental state tax agency that works to achieve fairness by promoting compliance and consistent tax policy and practice; and preserve the sovereignty of state and local governments over their tax systems. The Commission does this through a comprehensive range of activities that includes developing recommended uniform state tax laws with respect to interstate commerce, encouraging compliance with tax laws and consistency in enforcement through its Joint Audit and National Nexus Programs, training and education in complex multistate tax issues, supporting states engaged in major tax litigation through amicus briefs and technical assistance, and advocacy of state interests in the field of multistate taxation to all three branches of federal government. For more information about the Commission, visit www.mtc.gov. The Commission is an equal opportunity employer.

Position: General Counsel

Duties and Responsibilities: The general counsel reports to the executive director, and is responsible for—

- Providing research, advice, and representation to the Multistate Tax Commission directly and through its executive director.
- Providing research and advice to the Commission's Executive, Uniformity, Audit, Nexus, and Litigation Committees, and other committees and working groups that these committees or the Commission may establish.
- Supporting the Commission's programs, activities, and staff through research and advice.
- Supervising the Commission's staff of attorneys in fulfilling these same duties and responsibilities.

Location: The Multistate Tax Commission, 444 North Capitol Street, N.W., Suite 425, Washington, D.C. (The Commission will consider permitting a successful applicant to work from a remote location. Applicants desiring to work from a remote location should indicate this on the application.)

Travel: Must be willing and able to travel multiple times a year.

Minimum Qualifications: Graduation from an accredited law school and admission to the bar of the highest court of at least one state or the District of Columbia. Substantial interest in issues of state tax uniformity in the multistate tax environment, including state corporate income (or franchise) tax law, state sales and use tax law, constitutional law, and administrative law.

Minimum Experience: At least ten years of experience in legal or tax work, with at least five years associated with state and local taxation of business. Some supervisory experience at the professional level preferred.

Compensation: Public sector salary commensurate with experience, including fully paid medical & dental insurance, and a deferred compensation plan.

Moving Allowance: None.

Start Date: As soon as possible for the successful applicant.

Application Closing Date: The Commission will consider all applications received on or before January 31, 2014. Applications may be submitted at any time before the position is filled, however.

Method of Application: Submission of a letter of interest, resume, recent writing sample, and the names, addresses and telephone numbers of three references to the Multistate Tax Commission, 444 North Capitol Street, N.W., Suite 425, Washington, D.C. 20001-1538.

Further Information: Contact William J. Six, Director of Administration, Multistate Tax Commission, 444 North Capitol St., N.W., Suite 425, Washington, D.C. 20001; telephone (202) 650-0300; e-mail wsix@mtc.gov.